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E. O. 11652: NA
TAGS: CASC (LUHNOW, ROY)
SUBJ: W/A - DETENTION ROY LUHNOW

FOLLOWING AMERICAN DETAINED:

1. ROY LUHNOW
 2. UNKNOWN
 3. UNKNOWN
 4. SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
 5. PARKING LOT FEDERAL PALACE SUITES HOTEL JANUARY 23, 1977.
 6. NO CHARGES OR REASON FOR DETENTION PRESENTED.
 7. SECURITY OFFICE, LAGOS.
 8. DETAINED 4 PM JAN 23, RELEASED 2 PM JAN 24. TO REPORT BACK 10 AM JAN 25. RELEASED 2 PM JAN 25.
 9. NONE
 10. NONE
 11. NIGERIAN LAWYER.
 12. UNKNOWN
 13. N.A.
 14. N.A.
 15. CHARLES FLEMING AND DANIEL GALE
 16. YES. DIPLOMATIC NOTE SENT PROTESTING INCOMMUNICADO DETENTION U.S. CITIZENS AND DENIAL RIGHTS GUARANTEED UNDER GENEVA CONVENTION.
 17. CONSULAR OFFICER INFORMED OF DISAPPEARANCE 3 MEN AT
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10 AM JANUARY 24. INQUIRIES AT POLICE AND CID REVEALED NO RECORD OF ARREST. SHORTLY AFTER 2 PM JAN 24, DANIEL GALE TELEPHONED TO REPORT DETAILS OF HIS DETENTION WITH 2 OTHER U.S. CITIZENS AND THAT ALL WERE REQUIRED TO RETURN AT 10 AM JAN 25. CONSULAR OFFICER ACCOMPANIED 3 MEN AND NIGERIAN LAWYER TO SECURITY OFFICE. AFTER 4 HOUR WAIT RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL APPEARED. CONS

OFF. REQUESTED REASON FOR DETENTION BUT OBVIOUS OFFICIAL
UNAWARE OF DETAILS. HE LEFT AND RETURNED IN 15 MINUTES
AND RELEASED 3 MEN WITH APOLOGIES. U.S. PASSPORTS NOT
TAKEN FROM AMCITS DURING DETENTION AND QUESTIONING.

REASON FOR DETENTION BELIEVED TO BE PHOTOS TAKEN FROM
ROOF OF HOTEL. ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO PROHIBITION, POLICE
PARTICULARLY ZEALOUS DURING CURRENT INTERNATIONAL BLACK
AND AFRICAN ARTS FESTIVAL.
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